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The Permanent Mission of Italy to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Secretary-General of the United Nations and, with reference to Chapter VII of the Charter of the United Nations and Security Council resolution 1132 (1997) of 8 October 1997, has the honour to communicate the following:

(a) The embargo on arms and related matériel of all types, including weapons and ammunition, military vehicles and equipment, paramilitary equipment, and spare parts for the aforementioned, has been implemented by the competent Italian authorities;

(b) A regulation aiming to prevent the sale or supply to Sierra Leone of petroleum and petroleum products has been adopted and is being implemented within the framework of the European Union;

(c) The implementation by the competent Italian authorities of the visa restrictions is based on the respective list of persons to be issued by the United Nations Sanctions Committee.

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